

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

Jeffrey A. Rahm, : **Chapter 13**

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Debtor. : **Case No. 17-10506 (JKF)**

**ORDER REQUIRING DEBTOR TO FILE A MOTION TO
VOLUNTARILY DISMISS CHAPTER 13 CASE**

This 27th day of July, 2017, upon consideration of the Debtor's praecipe for a voluntary dismissal of his/her Chapter 13 bankruptcy case (the "Praecipe," doc. no. 31);

AND a debtor's request for a voluntary dismissal of a Chapter 13 bankruptcy case being governed by 11 U.S.C. § 1307(b);

AND Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure 1017(f)(2) and 9013 as well as Local Bankruptcy Rules 1017-2(a) and 9014-2 being applicable to requests made pursuant to § 1307(b);

AND the aforementioned procedural rules requiring a debtor seeking a dismissal under § 1307(b) to: (1) file a motion requesting such relief; and (2) serve the motion on the "trustee and the United States Trustee," see Local Bankruptcy Rule 1017-2(a);

AND the Praecipe not satisfying the procedural requirements for requesting a voluntary dismissal under § 1307(b);

It is hereby **ORDERED** and **DECREED** that the Praecipe is **DENIED**. In the event Debtor seeks a voluntary dismissal pursuant to § 1307(b), he/she must comply with the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure and the Local Bankruptcy Rules for requesting such relief.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jean K. FitzSimon". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Jean" and last name "FitzSimon" clearly legible.

HONORABLE JEAN K. FITZSIMON
United States Bankruptcy Judge